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NOTICE OF MOTION TO DISMISS AND TO VACATE PROCESSES OF MARITIME ATTACHMENT AND GARNISHMENT

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the attached Declaration of Kevin J.B. O'Malley and the exhibits thereto, upon the pleadings herein and upon the accompanying Memorandum of Law, Defendant Benxi Northern Steel Pipes Co. Ltd., by and through its undersigned attorneys, will move this Court, Deborah A. Batts, U.S.D.J., United States District Court, 500 Pearl Street, Courtroom 24B, New York, New York 10007, on the 8th day of April 2008 at 9:30 a.m., or as

soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, for an order, pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Rule E of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions, dismissing the claim asserted against it in the Second Amended Verified Complaint and vacating the Processes of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment issued against it.

Dated: March 10, 2008

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